

Hazardous Substances Emergency Events Surveillance (HSEES) Program

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services
2004 HSEES Events – Quarterly Summary *
April 1 through June 30 (Second Quarter)

BOONE COUNTY

	Fixed Facility	Transportation	Total
County events this quarter:	2	0	2
Statewide events this quarter:	60	42	102

Types of Substances Released:

Mercury

Propylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether

Number of Victims: 0

Types of Injuries Sustained: N/A

Injury Outcomes: N/A

Number of Events with Evacuations: 1

Number of People Evacuated: 3

Interesting Events:

A thermometer was brought back to school in a plastic bag and placed on a counter in the office. When the bag was moved the thermometer slid out and broke releasing mercury. The room was evacuated until the proper air monitoring and clean-up was completed.

A drum was punctured by a forklift allowing the product to drain out of the rear of the facility.



* Preliminary data – subject to change